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Attorney Docket No. 07553.0065

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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Katsuya OKAMURA et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2829  
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Application No.: 10/591,645 ) Examiner: Benitez, Joshua  
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Filed: September 5, 2006 )  
)  
For: PROBE AND METHOD OF ) Confirmation No.: 1797  
MANUFACTURING PROBE )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of August 18, 2008. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- ☐ Applicant hereby petitions for a [number] month extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. \$[Fee] for the Extension is enclosed.

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	5	-	20	0	x \$ 52	\$ 0.00
Indep.	3	-	4	0	x \$220	0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim(s)					+\$390	0.00
Subtotal						\$ 0.00
Reduction by ½ if small entity						- 0.00
TOTAL						\$ 0.00

- ☐ \$[Fee] to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply is enclosed.
- ☐ \$[Fee] to cover [Title of other paper(s)] is enclosed.
- ☐ \$[Total Fees] to cover the above fee(s) is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AND AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action mailed August 18, 2008, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on  
page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper.